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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		Docket Number (Optional) BM45379
In re Application of <b>Catherine Defrenne</b>		
Application Number 09/936,377		Filed February 26, 2002
For <b>Novel Compounds</b>		
Group Art Unit 1645	Examiner Padmavathi Baskar	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

☒ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) (450) \$ 460.00

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

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☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-2778.  
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